

Application No. 10/072,490

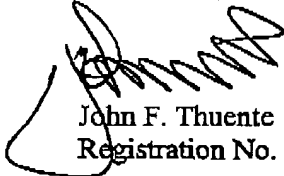
REMARKS

Claims 1-60 are pending. By this Amendment, claims 1, 21, and 41 are amended.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that all claims pending in this application are in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned if the Examiner believes it would be useful to advance prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,



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